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the Boys "Over There."

Dec. 23, 1918.

Jacob Biry, Devine, Tex.
Mother:—
A letter from brother Louis
days ago and answered it the
y when I wasn't on duty. So
ning I am off duty again and
e you a letter. Mother, Xmas
and no place to go. But I have
om to stay and a good fire in
e. So you see it won't be so
all—spending Xmas in Ger-
nd, of course, we have plenty
and beer, and whiskey. So you
to worry, mother. The next
e will be at home and have a
together. Hope I never have
another Christmas so far a-
our dear home, in dear old
e thankful that the war is
we won't have to lie in a shell
fear of getting hit by shells
ate. We are more than glad
ere for Xmas, and that we
ve to play shell-ball with the
e, for their shells are easy
it by, and not easily stopped.
mother, I guess you heard a-
bad news of Field Hospital
Oct. 25th. A German shell hit
ital and killed five and wound-
een. I was in the kitchen only
away from the tent the shell
wounded 2 boys in the kitchen
e standing right next to me.
lieve nobody else but the good
was next to me that morning.
er, I must thank God, and
all my folks who prayed for
me. I can't write the names.
were all good friends. Henry
Dscar W. and others were good
of mine.
ill tell you about it, mother,
et back home again in Texas.
rain, snow and not any sun-
all, but we like it fine here.
and dandy and hope the same
all.
gards and love to you all, and
lks at home.
quit and go to dinner. Bye,
our son,
HENRY BIRY.

Manderscheid, Germany,
Dec. 23, 1918.

Pauline Taylor, Hondo, Tex.
Mother:—
Just had a good hot bath, and
go out, so will utilize this as
e to write you.
very cold outside, a strong wind
ng, which started last night
veral inches of snow had fallen.
have seen pictures of snow
long about Xmas time. Well,
et, about 6 o'clock (it is dark
n.), I saw that in reality—it
utiful! The snow fell very
bt you are wondering where
that I am doing, health con-
quarters, etc. Probably you
this place on the map, a good
wn, a big summer resort, people
all parts of the world used to
this place in summer. Won-
scenery, very high altitude.
e moved last week, we came
ar Cochem, where it was fair-
weather, though much rain.
place, some 50 kilometers, and
me 6 or 7 hours ride on trucks,
ad many hard pulls on their
gh and steep mountain roads,
hed this burg, finding snow on
the mountains.
the Field Hospital is here,
men have good quarters. An-
urgent and myself have a room
third floor of a rich German
home and, take it from me,
e residence, fixed up so nice
ach have a nice, soft bed to
e, which is quite a contrast to
eral months spent in France—
lights, stove, and all modern
ence. A maid fixes our beds,
water, coal, wood etc., also
bowl full of nice apples in our
So, naturally, I am not very
to move from this place soon.
may not be so fortunate next
and in all probability we will
a town named Daun, about 30
ers from here.
e not very far from Treves (or
and passes are given to men
y might go to that city. I may
time this week.
the honor, if you will call it
be a member of a quartet that
a night at the officers' club,
hey had supper, before some
officers. Don't know, whether
any stage fright or not, any
got by with our singing O. K.
ve a fine building and all were
of the Sanitary Train.
(continued on third page.)

Texas Popular Congressman.



HON. JOHN N. GARNER.

Attention, Old Indian Fighters.

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Jan. 20, 1919.

DEAR SIR:
I have been requested to find out the status of the old Indian fighters who served in State and Federal companies in periods from 1859 to 1860, and from 1865 to 1878. These veterans must have served at least thirty days during that period to be entitled to pensions. I am informed by the Adjutant General, James A. Harley, that new information has been found in old records and archives of the state, and some of the obstacles in the way of securing these pensions have been removed. I am informed that claimants, under the act of March 4, 1917, should file their claim with the Adjutant General, giving their name, age, years of service and in what command or company, whether

State or Federal, and other information which they may have bearing on their services, and forward it to Austin. These claims will be investigated by the State Library Archivist and the whole matter submitted to Washington. I have no information as to how long it will be before these pensions are paid, but as they must pursue this course to be in line for payment, would suggest that the old veterans who served in these companies of those days, file their application as soon as possible.
Yours very truly,
H. P. HORNBY.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from pure-bred Barred Rocks, \$1.50 per setting of 15. Apply to Mrs. Fletcher Davis, at Anvil Herald office, Hondo.

Notice, Odd Fellows.

The semi-annual installation of officers will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall next Thursday night, February 13th. After the installation a supper of barbecued goat will be served to those present. All members are urged to attend, and visiting brethren in good standing will be welcome.

Nazarene Regular Services.

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Cumming, on Saturday night and Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7:30, embracing the first Sunday of each month.

Preaching by Rev. J. T. Hoger on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., on second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., each Sunday.

Cottage prayer meeting every Tuesday night.

Prayer meeting at the Church on Friday night.

Your attendance will be very much appreciated. Come, let us worship God.
Rev. J. T. Hoger.

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Church Notes.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., at the Methodist Church.

God honors the man who honors him.

J. W. LONG.

Rev. Wooten of Crystal City will conduct services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services at this Church.

Notice.

Having been appointed executrix of the estate of J. H. Kueck, Sr., deceased, I hereby notify all interested parties that I will receive accounts for or against the estate of the said deceased.

MRS. HULDA TAYLOR.

Friertown, Texas.

28 4t
FOR SALE—Eggs from the large sized, winter laying White Leghorn chickens, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. Apply to Tom. Holloway. tf

Poll Tax Payments.

Following is a list of the poll tax payments this year; also the number of poll tax receipts issued for the year 1917:

Prec. No.	1918	1917
1—North Hondo	143	160
2—Quihi	111	117
3—Dunlay	47	47
4—Verdina	15	20
5—Riomedina	55	64
6—Castroville	138	154
7—D'Hanis	146	157
8—Haass	7	6
9—Coal Mine	41	45
10—East Devine	63	67
11—Black Creek	26	31
12—Yancey	78	80
13—Maverick	26	25
14—Briar Branch	36	40
15—Lacoste	93	96
16—South Hondo	174	186
17—Upper Hondo	20	23
18—Elstone	22	21
19—East Devine	112	132
Total	1353	1472

For the year 1918 there were 23 exemptions, making a total voting strength of 1376; for the year 1917, 31 exemptions were issued, which added to the 1472 poll tax receipts issued showed a voting strength of 1503, or a total of 127 more than for the year 1918.

Four poll tax receipts were issued to women for the year 1918.

An Open Letter.

To Mr. L. F. Wurzbach, Riomedina, Texas:

My Dear Sir—Your letter of recent date received. With you, I believe every man, woman and child in our county should do something to honor and perpetuate the memory of our dear boys who gave their lives for the principles that are so near and dear to every American heart.

Just in what way to perpetuate their memory, I am in doubt.

A monument erected in the court house yard would be something that the entire county could take part in and do themselves proud. Some have suggested a library. To get the entire county to agree on this might be a difficult proposition. Then the caring for it would ever be an expense. A nice library, accessible to everyone in the county, would be of more VALUE than a marble slab or monument.

Let's do something.
Allow me to assure you and your good wife that you have the prayers and sympathy of every father and mother in Medina county. Your sorrow and grief is ours.

Listen to these words of our Heavenly Father: "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you; not as the world giveth, give I unto you."

Yours very truly,
J. W. LONG.

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30 Cents Bookfold Percales, in dark colors and fancy stripes	18c	20 Cents High Grade Men's Hose	15c
35 Cents Yard Wide Soft Finish Bleached Domestic	23c	35 Cents High Grade Neck Ties, in fancy colors	25c
Extra Good Quality		25 Cents Dress Gingham, in fancy plaids and stripes	18c

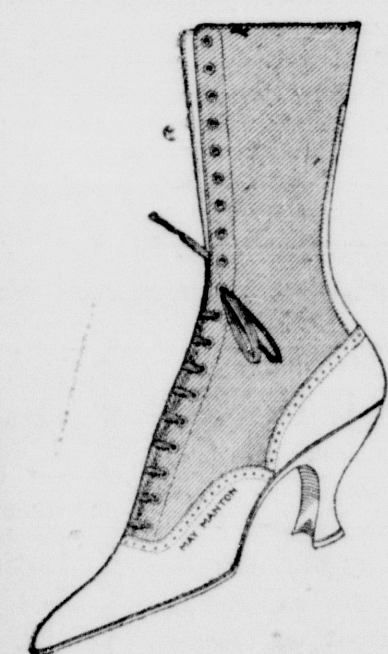
The above are only a few items that I can mention in this space, but you can rest assured that you can come here and find all prices substantially reduced.

I thank the people of Hondo and vicinity for the liberal patronage extended to the Sugarman Supply Co. during my management of the business, and I solicit a continuance of the same now that I will conduct the business in my name. Both old and new customers can rest assured that they will be treated with the utmost courtesy, as I am here to please you.

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Mrs. J. J. Drosteourt visited in Castroville Thursday.

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Commissioners court will meet in regular session Monday.

Don't fail to see the new Spring Hats at Mrs. Haralson's. 28

How would it do to allow Germany's colonies to belong to themselves?

All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendele's. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-tf

To save money have a set of Double Seal Piston Rings put in your motor at Citizens Motor Car Co. 23

H. C. King, a Sabinal attorney, was here this week procuring leases on land for the purpose of prospecting for oil.

Convert your old Ford into a 1-ton Truck by attaching an Olsen Economy Truck Unit. See, write or phone us. Citizens Motor Car Co. 23

Ezra Moore of Lytle was remanded to jail in default of a \$500 bond fixed by justice court here Wednesday on a charge of obstructing the railroad.

Bermuda onion plants are set out in great number every where in the county. Grandma Breiten, of course, furnishes most of these plants.

FOR SALE—One very high grade Hereford muley bull, coming yearling; can be seen at the Farmers' Union Warehouse lot. For price phone or write P. R. Richter. 24.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from pure-bred Dark Cornish Indian Games, the world's hardest and best meat-breed fowl, \$1.50 per setting of 15. Apply to Mrs. Fletcher Davis, at Anvil Herald office, Hondo. tf

Mrs. George E. Schmidt and daughter, Miss Bettie, went to San Antonio on Thursday evening's train to visit their son and brother, Oscar Schmidt, who has just returned from overseas and is now in one of the military hospitals in San Antonio suffering from slight wounds.

FOR SALE—The Terrell and Reed farm on the Hondo, near Elstone; 320 acres, 120 in cultivation, rest in pasture, all fenced. For particulars apply to August or Chas. Wendland, Hondo, Texas. 24 1m

Oscar Schmidt, son of Mrs. Geo. E. Schmidt, has arrived from overseas and is now in one of the military hospitals in San Antonio. He is suffering from a slight wound received in one of the great battles on the western front, and it is quite possible that he will soon receive his discharge. The news of his arrival in San Antonio was a relief to his relatives and friends here, who were growing somewhat apprehensive as no word had come from him since the series of great battles immediately preceding the signing of the armistice.



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Wheat Bran, at E. R. Leinweber Co's. 24

Don't fail to see the new Spring Hats at Mrs. Haralson's. 28
For light or heavy hauling ring 37 or 203. McClaugherty & Son. 5,tf
Have your clothes cleaned and pressed at the City Tailor Shop. Phone 125. (25)

FOR SALE—About 3000 pounds well matured dwarf maize seed. Delivered in Hondo, four cents a pound. See W. M. Evans or Chas. Metzger. 26,4t

Mrs. Henry Mercer and Mrs. Orceith Fly have again taken up their homes in Hondo, their husbands having purchased the business of the Martin Drug Company.

Secretary of the Treasury, Carter Glass, has officially announced from Washington that the name of the next (Fifth) War Loan will be the "Victory Liberty Loan."

The honor flag of the "Victory Liberty Loan" will be a blue "V" on a white field, surrounded by a red border, the V denoting both "five" (Fifth Loan) and "Victory".

I shall be glad to have your order for some of my fine Barred Plymouth Rock eggs. \$2.50 per setting of 15; mail orders, 25 cents extra. Mrs. Pauline Taylor, Hondo, Texas. 27

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

"Mickie" Schmitt, of the good ship Beaver, after a ten day furlough spent with his folks, left on his return to the Pacific coast last Sunday to rejoin his ship. He expects to receive his final discharge shortly.

Mrs. J. W. Griffiths went to San Antonio last Saturday to bid adieu to some of her soldier relatives who were about to be mustered out of the service, and also to visit Mr. Griffiths, who was in the city serving Uncle Sam as a juror in the federal court.

A COMPANY to handle OVERLAND and WILLIS-KNIGHT automobiles is desired in every community or trading center where dealerships have not already been secured. File your application with the WINERICH MOTOR SALES COMPANY, distributors, San Antonio, Texas,

The ladies of the Hondo Cemetery Association will have a meeting at the Methodist Church Thursday afternoon, Feb. 20th, at 3 p. m. The Cemetery Association has been inactive for over a year, but some anxious to revive the work again, so all old members and any one who is interested in the cemeteries and will co-operate with the association, will please be present.

Another splendid rain fell here the first of the week, totaling 0.82 inches. Oats and weeds are growing fast, and as corn planting time is practically at hand a considerable rise in temperature, imparting warmth to the earth, is anxiously awaited. There never was a better season in the ground at this time of the year and conditions are exceedingly bright for a prosperous season. Meanwhile—let it rain.

Edmond Taylor, after a visit to his sister, Mrs. C. R. Gaines, left Wednesday for Louisiana where he has accepted a lucrative position. Mr. Taylor, who belonging to Uncle Sam's aviation service has received an honorable discharge; like all the other American boys, when the armistice was signed and all hope of active participation in the strife passed, he was anxious to resume civilian life. His friends here wish him every success in his undertaking.

The "flu" epidemic having practically abated, the ban against public gatherings has been lifted and all the churches resumed their regular services last Sunday, after a suspension of some six weeks. The school also resumed classes in the school building Monday, suspending the correspondence system of teaching which was in vogue during the ban on teaching in the building. This was the fourth interruption in the school thus far during this scholastic year, and everyone is hoping that the school will now be able to go the end of the term without further interruption.

At a regular meeting of Hondo Local of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union, held at the hall Saturday afternoon, it was decided to renew the lease on the hall for another six months. Owing to the dull times incident to the drought for the past year interest in the Union has been permitted to wane, but with the return of brighter prospects it is confidently expected that new interest and new life will be instilled into the order. Watch for announcement of the next regular meeting and be on hand to do your part.

Oil stoves. Holloway Bros.
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Bicycle tires just in, at Bargains, at C. R. Gaines. 23
Phone 37 for special auto livery. McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf
White seed corn for sale at the Warehouse; \$2.75 per bushel. 27
Suits made to order, at the City Tailor Shop. Phone 125. 25
Wanted—Several loads of wood on subscription, at this office.

Cord-wood, stove-wood and stumps taken on subscription by this paper.

FOR SALE—My home in Hondo. Apply to Mrs. W. F. Miller. 24-1m

KILL TICK for cattle and sheep dipping at Kuntz-Flint Lumber Co. 28-2t

Messrs. Pete and Aug. Koch were business visitors from D'Hanis Monday.

Clyde Holloway visited his sister, Mrs. A. H. Dawson, at Cuero, this week.

FOR RENT—The Hall cottage on Carle Avenue. Apply to Mrs. Fletcher Davis. 8 6-tf

FOR SALE—Three good brood sows. Apply to August D. Gerdes, Hondo, Texas. 27-2tp

Just received fresh stock of Auto Casing and Tubes, any size. C. R. Gaines. 23

A \$375.00 piano for \$275.00—a new instrument, guaranteed. See V. A. Crow. 27-tf

WANTED—To buy, vendor's lien notes. Wm. A. Schmitt, at Schmitt & Steinhardt's. 26

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a news letter to them.

A. G. Holloway is in Eagle Pass, where he has accepted a position in a garage in that border town.

Whenever your windmill or gasoline engine needs repairing call on Edwin F. Bendele for quick service. 14-tf

Mrs. Kate Whisenhunt and daughter are here from Bandera and are domiciled at the residence of Aug. Grimsinger.

Sterling Fly came in from the Pacific coast the first of the week, he having received his final discharge from Uncle Sam's navy.

Miss Bertha Elms, who has been here for sometime, a student in the Hondo High School, left last Saturday for her home at Leakey.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muennink and Miss Nora Tondre spent last Sunday in D'Hanis, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tondre.

FOR SALE—Several excellent Bronze Toms for breeding, none better. Write or phone Mrs. J. E. Flowers, at P. S. Ward's. 25,4t

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Poultry Pays.

That poultry pays is attested by Sam Moore, box 33. The following report is made by Mr. Moore: "From December 10th, 1918, to January 30th, 1919, the very time that hens lay the least, a period of fifty days, which was unusually cold and rainy this season, being extremely unfavorable weather for hens to lay. However, with forty mixed-breed hens I gathered in this adverse mentioned fifty day period 555 eggs. The average price of eggs during that period was 4c an egg; total value of the 555 eggs, \$22.20; cost of feed for the forty hens for the fifty day period, \$8.15. Profit, \$14.05."

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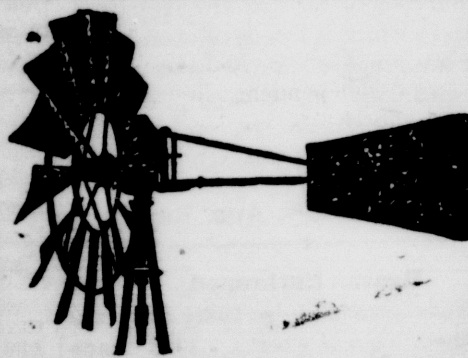
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DR. GURABAT KAMARKAR

Recently she attended a meeting
held in New York by the War Work
Council of the Young Women's
Christian Association. She has re-
turned to her native country to
work among the women there under
the direction of this association.

SURGEONS agree that in cases of
Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the
FIRST TREATMENT is most im-
portant. When an EFFICIENT anti-
septic is applied promptly, there is no
danger of infection and the wound be-
gins to heal at once. For use on man
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Buy it now and be ready for an em-
ergency. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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A surgeon of the British army is
experimenting with balls of cartilage
for artificial eyes. When live car-
tilage is transplanted to the eye socket
it establishes connections with blood
vessels and surrounding tissues, and
before long moves naturally in co-
ordination with its fellow. To what ex-
tent the cartilage can be colored so as
to simulate a real eye is yet to be
proved, but it can at least be faced
with a shell of celluloid that will ap-
pear natural.

Gas in the stomach or bowels is a
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To get rid of it quickly take HERB-
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"Why, I've got one foot in the grave
and the other foot on a banana
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sixty-five, sued for breach of promise
in New York. Under such circum-
stances there is every reason why a
man should exercise discretion.—Bos-
ton Globe.

A child that has intestinal worms is
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"American girls of the Signal Corps
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cers; the men always ask for oper-
ators who can speak English," writes
the secretary of the Young Women's
Christian Association at Paris.
France, who is in charge of the home
where the girls from the United
States are living.

She adds: "In Paris they have
their own hostess house. They are
splendid war workers. They must
speak French fluently in order to
come on this mission, so there are
many who have come through pure
desire to give patriotic service and
many who never did telephone work
until they undertook this. Some are
college girls, some are teachers.

"As in the United States, only
women can live at the hostess house,
but men come for meals. The din-
ing room is crowded with men and
women in a bewildering mass of uni-
forms. There are, to name a few,
the doctors, the Red Cross nurses,
the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A.
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angle and the women wearing the
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of great annoyance to the owners of
the orange groves nearby because of
the clouds of cement dust that settled
on the orange trees. The dust also
proved injurious to the employees of
the plant. Those facts and the result-
ing lawsuits led the owners to try to
abate the nuisance by installing an ap-
paratus called a precipitator, which
precipitates the fine dust by electrical
action before it leaves the exhaust
stacks. The recovered dust particles
were found to contain potash in the
form of crystallized salts, a product
that is so scarce and valuable at the
present time, when no potash can
reach us from Germany, that the Riv-
erside company now devotes its entire
attention to recovering the potash,
and treats the cement as a by-product.
The sales of potash pay the entire op-
erating cost of the plant and a reason-
able profit besides, and the cement,
now produced at the rate of 5,000 bar-
rels a day, is so much clear gain for
future sales. There is no immediate
market for so much cement; so most
of it is stored in bulk. Thus an ap-
paratus installed to safeguard the
health of the workers and to abate a
nuisance has changed the whole char-
acter of the industry and become a
source of unexpected profit.—Youth's
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who said that when he went to bed,
knowing there would be buckwheat
and sausages for breakfast, he couldn't
sleep for thinking about it. And when
he went to bed with the information
that there would be no buckwheat and
sausages for breakfast, he couldn't
sleep for worrying about it.

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, February 6, 1919

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Joe L. Tschirhart is now holding down the City Meat Market as successor of John Franger, retired.

A most deplorable accident happened to little Lennard, the four or five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Etter, of Sauz, last Thursday. It seems that while passing under a bush, his eye was pierced by a thorn. Medical aid was given at once, but up to this writing we have been unable to learn the result.

Joe L. Tschirhart, our expert trapper, trapped a monster catamount one night last week.

Stock taking is on tapis at Jos. Courand Co.'s Big Store.

It is raining this (Tuesday) morning and prospects are very promising for some more.

Mrs. George Karm and children and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Tschirhart and two children spent the week at Uvalde and Hondo visiting relatives. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Nick Tschirhart and children of No. 102 were shopping here Monday.

Mrs. Robert Keller and baby visited in San Antonio during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hutzler of Bader Settlement were here Monday.

Miss Della Keller and Miss Gertrude Rihn were Lacoste visitors this week.

Ed. Seekatz was here from Rio Medina Monday on his way to the Ihnken farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boehme and little son, Ward, returned to their home at Riomedina after a week's stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wurzbach and little son of Baby Settlement visited here Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Kilhorn spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Albert Tschirhart, at Noonan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wurzbach of Cliff visited here Sunday.

Louis Mangold, Sr., is in San Antonio this week on federal court.

News is scarce this week on account of rain and bad roads.

Edmond Keller was here from Lacoste Saturday.

Mrs. Jos. Courand of San Antonio spent several days here this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer.

Mrs. Willie Schmitt returned to her home in San Antonio after a week's stay here.

Walter Koehler and Arthur Koch of San Antonio spent Sunday here.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jul. Jagge died here Friday night and was buried Saturday in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Eugen Halberdier visited in San Antonio during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Droitecourt moved here from Pearson Monday.

A Grand Masquerade Ball will be given at Wernette's Opera House, Castroville, February 14. Two prizes will be given for the two best costumes and characters represented. Homan's band will furnish the music. Come and enjoy the sport, whether you are masked or not.

Notes From Austin.

By H. P. H.

Some information comes to light before the Committees of the Legislature that may be news to the readers, and so I jot down a few items.

There is estimated to be one hundred twenty-five lepers in Texas. In one city, not far distant from Uvalde, there is a family of four, quarantined in one house. The father died of the disease, one child has since died, and one son committed suicide, leaving four in the family, and the County keeps them in quarantine. Efforts have been made to establish a leper colony, and an appropriation was made by the Legislature for that purpose. But each community violently opposed such an institution in their midst, and the unfortunate people are compelled to put up with make shift arrangements, or be driven from pillar to post like some rabid animal.

I think Uvalde made the mistake of the century when they opposed the proposition to establish a Tuberculosis Sanatorium adjacent to our city. A visit to Carlsbad would make this apparent. Truly this is a revelation of what can be done. In the first place, the institution is a thing of beauty from an architectural standpoint. The splendid fire-proof buildings, the arrangement of the ground plan, the irrigated fields, the fine dairy, the modern conveniences would be gratifying to any taxpayers, who like to see money well spent. But the miracle being performed is the principal gratification. Seventy five per cent of the patients must be indigent. They come weak and emaciated, despondent and hopeless. They leave with a new lease on life, strong and hopeful. The rest, proper nourishment and the inspiration of the certain knowledge of recovery is a panacea that lifts them from morbid thoughts. It is wonderful. The patient in a private home is handicapped by lack of discipline. Generally he does what he wants to, and no regularity governs his movements. Here, it is clockwork, all figured out to the physical condition of the patient, so much exercise, so much rest, and so much nourishment. At one o'clock noon, all are in bed, and stay there till 3:30. Not a sound, no door slams (all open both ways), no coughing. Strange, but patients are taught not to cough. The inmates are all happy and enjoying themselves. There is no gloom or discontent. Dr. McKnight, the superintendent is a prince. His smile will almost cure a hopeless case. Yes, Carlsbad is a revelation and a salvation to our young people, who are restored to health and strength, and taught how to keep well.

Six hundred sixty-five people were bitten by rabid dogs last year and treated at the Pasteur Institute. Think of the suffering and the expense. Is the keeping of worthless curs, especially in cities and towns worth this? Many sheep and goat men are advocating killing of worthless canines. Four dog bills are now before the Legislature.

The Livestock and Sanitary Commission reports, 5,411,557 head of cattle inspected and dipped last year.

The Health Department secured 85 (eighty-five) convictions last year for the violation of the Pure Food Act. They sent one man to jail three months and fined him five hundred dollars for selling a sugar tablet preparation for asperin. Also sent one man to the penitentiary for three years for selling a fake syphilis cure.

For that Terrible Itching.

Eczema, tetter and salt rheum keep their victims in perpetual torment. The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this itching.

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Weekly Health Talks

The Many Mysteries of Nature

By L. W. BOWER, M. D.

You can take an onion seed and a pansy seed, and plant them side by side in the same spot of ground. In one case, you get an onion, with its peculiarly strong odor, and in the other you get a flower of rare beauty. You can plant a poppy seed and get opium (a dangerous, habit-forming drug), or you can plant a rhubarb seed and get something that helps constipation. No scientist, living or dead, can explain these mysteries of Nature. Behind the invisible life germ in each seed is hidden the deep secret that nobody understands. Everything growing out of the ground seems intended for some use in establishing natural conditions. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found out what is naturally best for women's diseases. He learned it all through treating thousands of cases. The result of his studies was a medicine called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is made of vegetable growths that nature surely intended for backache, headache, weakening drains, bearing-down pains, periodical irregularities, pelvic inflammations, and for the many disorders common to women in all ages of life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is made of lady's slipper root, black cohosh root, unicorn root, blue cohosh root and Oregon grape root. Women who take this standard remedy know that in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription they are getting a safe woman's tonic so good that druggists everywhere sell it.

Favorite Prescription should have the full confidence of every woman in America because it contains no alcohol and no narcotic. Dr. Pierce knew, when he first made this standard medicine, that whiskey and morphine are injurious, and so he has always kept them out of his remedies. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg. Tablets.

Murphy School House Entertainment.

Thursday night, Jan. 30th, was for the Murphy school people an exceptional occasion.

Miss Myrtle Hall, the teacher, had arranged a splendid, snappy program consisting of songs, dialogues and recitations.

After the rendition of the school program County Superintendent Saathoff spoke to the audience stressing the need of keeping abreast with every progressive move that tends to elevate humanity and give them a broader vision of life thru education.

Supt. Saathoff introduced County Agent, Mr. C. M. Merritt, to the audience, who made a very practical talk on better farming and farm management. He encouraged the farmers to experiment with a few acres of 6 ft. rows in corn. He also advocated the introduction of pure bred hogs, of which the Duroc-Jersey type he recommends to be the best for this section. Mr. Merritt is a practical farmer, and has made a good impression upon the people in the Murphy community.

The room was then cleared of seats and benches and the young people tripped the fantastic to the sweet strains of Mr. Lindeburg's violin for several hours, expressing themselves well pleased with the entertainment.

GIRLS! WHITEN YOUR SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Make a beauty lotion for a few cents to remove tan, freckles, sallowness.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quart of the very best lemon skin whiteners and complexion beautifiers known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.

Mrs. Peavish says another thought that keeps her uneasy is that if the time would ever return when she can buy a steak for 10c she probably won't have the money.—Galv. News.

Dreadful Cough Cured.

A severe cold is often followed by a rough cough for which Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven especially valuable. Mrs. F. W. Olsen, Marysville, Mo., writes: "About 2 years ago my little boy, Jean, caught a severe cold and coughed dreadfully for days. I tried a number of cough medicines but nothing did him any good until I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It relieved his cough right away and before he had finished taking one bottle he was cured. I think it is just fine for children."

Sometimes when a man's wife says that marriage is a lottery she means that it is a failure.

Indigestion.

Take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets as directed for indigestion, and you will soon forget about your stomach troubles. Try it.

BIG MONEY IN SHEEP.

By FLETCHER DAVIS,
Field Agent of the State Department of Agriculture.

The farm flock of sheep is easily proving its worth as a money maker for the farmer in these times of high-priced meat and wool. Hundred per cent profits are common, but here is an instance where a flock paid nearly 600 per cent in two years. Figure it out for yourself.

In September, 1916, C. H. DeLafosse of Corsicana bought fifty-five head of grade Shropshire ewes and placed them on his farm near Emhouse, in Navarro County. The ewes were bred and he paid \$6.50 each for them, or a total of \$375.50. In the spring of 1917 he bought two registered rams to place with his ewes, paying \$70 for the two. This made the total cost of his flock of fifty-seven head \$427.50.

In the early spring of 1917 the ewes brought thirty-eight lambs, twenty-two bucks and sixteen ewes. Mr. DeLafosse sold the bucks and his 1917 wool clip for \$426.40. He also sold two ewes for \$26.50. This made gross sales from his flock the first year of \$452.90, or more than the original cost of his flock. He lost two of his ewes, and so had fifty-one old ewes, sixteen ewe lambs and two bucks, or sixty-nine head, with which to begin his second year's operations.

In the winter of 1917-18 these sixty-seven ewes brought sixty-five lambs. From this lamb crop the owner sold twenty-six bucks in June on the Fort Worth market. The lambs averaged ninety-five pounds, live weight, and brought 16 1-2c per pound. The 1918 lamb and wool crop brought cash returns from the sixty-nine head of \$781, or over \$11 each. Of the thirty-nine ewe lambs of the 1918 crop, two died, leaving thirty-seven head, which, added to the sixty-nine head, gives the owner 106 head to begin his third year on.

Splendid Returns From Investment Thus it will be seen that with an original investment of \$427.50, Mr. DeLafosse has sold in two years of his operations \$1,233.90 worth of mutton and wool from his flock, or nearly three times their original cost. During the same time he has nearly doubled the size of his flock, and his sheep, because of the increase in value of all manner of live stock, are worth approximately twice the original purchase price. This is approximately 600 per cent in two years.

Of course, this is not all clear profit. The owner attributes much of his success to careful management. The sheep run on a seventy-acre native grass pasture along with other farm stock. This pasture was badly infested with weeds two years ago, but the sheep have largely ridged it of these, and the grass is better than when the sheep were put on it. Ridding the pasture of the weeds and improvement of the grazing for the other live stock is another gain to set on the profit side of the sheep account. The providing of plenty of shade from the hot sun of summer, protection from the cold winds and rains in the winter, and the providing of an ample supply of wholesome drinking water at all times are also factors entering into the successful management of this flock. The run of the wheat fields during the winter was an important factor in maintaining the ewes in a strong, vigorous condition, and enabled the owner to market choice lambs from his flock.

Managed in this way, with good native grass pasture for summer and small grain pasture for winter, very little feeding has been found necessary. During the first year Mr. DeLafosse fed twenty-five sacks of cottonseed cake to the flock. During the second year he fed eight sacks of cake, 500 pounds of cottonseed and 200 bales of sorghum hay. The cake or seed is necessary at times to keep the ewes in a vigorous condition for mothering their lambs. The hay was fed mostly during the period of drouth last summer when pasture was short. For profitable results, the flock must be kept in a well-fed, thrifty condition at all times.

Managed in this way, Mr. DeLafosse finds there are big profits in sheep, as his story above related proves beyond any question.—Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, Dec. 13.

Uvalde Leader News Items.

W. S. Monkhouse, A. J. Kessler, F. A. Hoag, Walter Schawe, W. F. Knipp, Charles Knippa, John Gibbens and Rolf Balzn were over from Knippa Wednesday, paying taxes and attending to other business matters.

F. J. Carle of D'Hanis Brick and Tile Company, was here last week talking D'Hanis brick to some of the prospective builders in Uvalde. D'Hanis bricks are popular at Uvalde and Mr. Carle is determined to keep them that way.

Getting Rid of Colds.

The easiest and quickest way to get rid of a cold is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This preparation has been in use for many years and its value fully proven. No matter what remedy you use, however, care must be taken not to contract a second cold before you have recovered from the first one, and there is serious danger of this. A man of middle age or older should go to bed and stay in bed until fully recovered. It is better to stay in bed three days at the start than three weeks later on.



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Peruna has served the American people for more than 20 years. Those who know it will always have it at hand. Do you?

American Lutherans Prepare to Lead Lutherans of the World.

On January 21st a Lutheran Congress was held in Chicago that will be historic and mark a new period in the life of the Lutheran Church of this country and the world.

The congress is called by the National Lutheran Council to organize a \$500,000 Reconstruction-Service Campaign.

The sections of Europe in which the Lutheran Church is strong are today engulfed in chaos. Apart from the anarchy that obtains, the Lutheran churches of Europe till now have been under state control, and are for that reason little prepared to cope with the present dissolution of ordered society.

The Lutheran Church of America can and must cope with the situation. It has developed a strong vigorous church-life, independent of state control and state-aid; it has carried the Reformation ideal of spiritual democracy into successful and effective operation; and it is considered to be the hand of providence, that while the church was divided till recently the war emergency and the need of following the 250,000 Lutheran boys in the army, welded the separate parts together into an effective, powerful unity. To-day the Lutheran church stands ready and is in a position to meet unselfishly the greatest call for service and leadership that has come to a church body in modern times; it feels that it can and must bring to the Lutheran churches of Europe the spiritual democracy which it has developed here, that it must counsel, guide and assist them into that independent, democratic, ordered church-life, which characterizes the Lutheran Church of America.

Rev. AUG. RETEIT.

Reason Enthroned.

Because meats are so tasty they are consumed in great excess. This leads to stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. Revise your diet, let reason and not a pampered appetite control, then take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets, and you will soon be well again. Try it.

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BED

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui in Her Recovery.

Royce City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get a bottle of Cardui I would try it... commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about it... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a strong woman, and I owe my recovery to Cardui. I had only taken one bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side continued right on taking Cardui until I had taken three bottles and did not need any more for I never felt better in my life and have never had any trouble since day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, aches, pains in sides, or other troubles, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fatigued? Give Cardui, the woman's remedy. It will cure you. It is sold everywhere.

Indigestion. Belching, souring, bloating are symptoms of indigestion. They are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. Indigestion is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by taking Chamberlain's Tablets cause a movement of the bowels, relieving the indigestion. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most effective in relieving indigestion. Sold everywhere.

INDIGESTION

the Boys "Over There".
continued from the first page.)

people here use comforts and
beds on their beds and when I
my roll and gave the maid
army blankets to put on the bed,
early had a fit, and thought them
ful. They were a curiosity to
She asked if all our men had
And again she was astonished
I told her each man had three
blankets. I wonder what she
do if she could see the big bunch
blankets we carry for pa-

received an Anvil Herald last night,
papers that Lucy sent, and a letter
Bazel.

expecting my Xmas box tonight
bunk mate, Sergt. Robinson, (a
from Hereford, Tex.) received his
at night and naturally we had a
of home made eats. It was fine.
the Wiemers was left at the last
to take care of two pneumonia
and will be up with us again in a
ys. He is a good ward master,
ows how to take care of patients.
in the best of health, and more
satisfied, except, like the rest of
When will we get home?"

quite an experience and also a
treat that we are seeing this
y, and I am proud that the 90th
on so many laurels, and we all
hard to that point. It is now
the honor divisions, that con-
the 3rd American army, or the
of occupation. The 90th has
quite a reputation in the Amer-
expedition Force.

with sorrow that I learn of more
from Medina Co. giving up their
for the benefit of the world.
boys have paid the supreme
over here I know, for I have

I can only say that we have
remely lucky, for several times
ute might have been our last.
d take quite a bit of writing to
all of it, so I can only hope to
well, live through it, and get
me again. Then I can tell you
ories.

close now, will write you again
er tomorrow, Dec. 25th. Hop-
at you, even though all your
not near you, will spend a very
Xmas.

and best wishes to all, I am.
Your son,
Sergt. O. B. TAYLOR,
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Rachtig, Germany,
Xmas, Dec. 25, 1918.

Willie Leinweber, Hondo, Tex.

Willie:-
doubt you will be surprised to
a letter from me. Not that
forgotten you, but have had so
do over here. And many times
writing paper and no place to
or we were always on the
Very seldom we slept two
the same place; so you can
Have often thought of you,
George and family.

you all having a great time
just got through eating din-
ing by a warm stove, smoking
and writing this letter. Every-
covered with snow here, but I
fall out in it tomorrow, bound
her city. Don't know just
will start home, but hope

over we were 15 days on the
ome of the boys got seasick,
ver bothered me. When the
ed we hurried them about
the fish, for some of them cer-
vomit.

have seen some awful sights
e, but after I went over the
st time nothing ever bothered
ore. I was just as tough as
The second drive we sure
the huns a fit; they can't
inst the American soldiers.

at we laid a machine gun bar-
then went over the top with
ry under heavy German ar-
re. I witnessed two of the
artillery barrages that was
in history. It was impos-
ear anything. And, believe
huns thought the Devil had
se. Five out of the squad
were gassed but are O. K.

best regards to uncle George
So will close, with best
ours

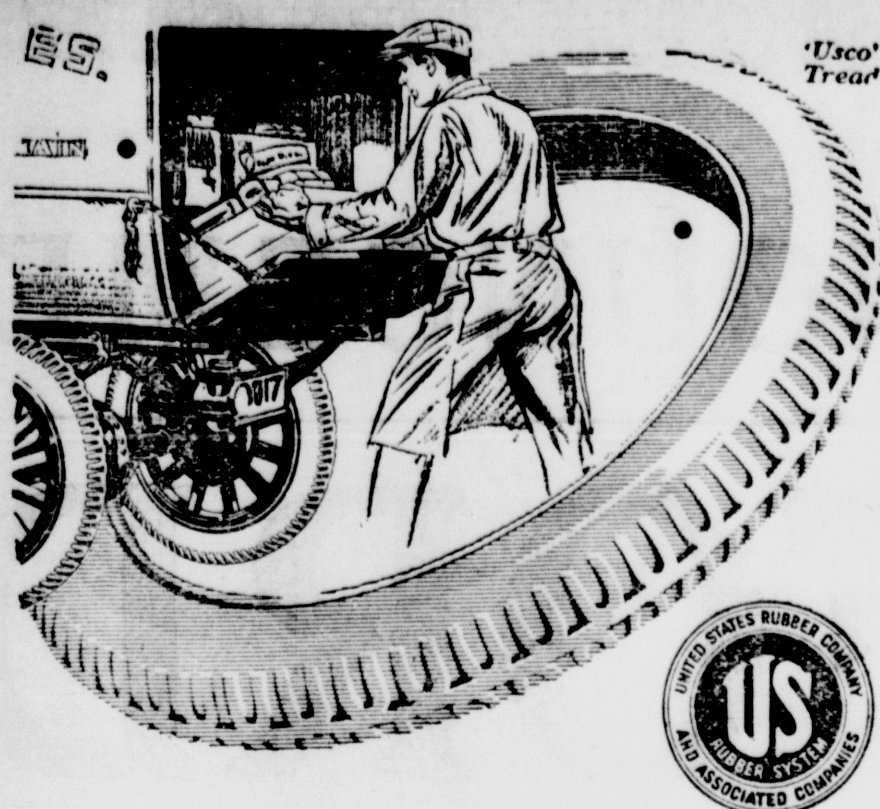
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345 M. G. B., Amer. E. F.

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Uvalde, Texas. 38-6m.

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What the Second Division Did.

Headquarters, Second Division,
American Expeditionary Forces,
Germany, January 1, 1919.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 1.
To the Officers and Men of the Second Division:

1. The year just ended has been the most momentous of the century. A year ago the military situation was ominous. Russia and Roumania had been crushed, and the enemy was able to mass a greatly superior force on the western front. In March, April and May, he struck powerful and victorious blows in Picardy, Belgium and on the Chemis-des-Dames. At this critical hour the American forces were placed in the battle lines, and on November 11th, after an offensive campaign by the allies' commander-in-chief, conducted with consummate skill and characterized by a continuous battle of unparalleled activity and violence, the enemy was defeated and the victory won.

2. The Second Division played a part of great military and historic importance in this tremendous engagement. It fought five pitched battles or series of battles, always defeating the enemy, and it has the right to have inscribed on its banners the names of the brilliant victories won by it at Chateau Thierry, Soissons, St. Mihiel, Blanc Mont and Argonne-Meuse. Its casualties were 732 officers and 23,653 men, total 24,385. This was about ten percentum of the total casualties of the American Expeditionary Forces. It captured 12,026 prisoners, over one-quarter of the total number captured by the A. E. F. It captured 243 cannon, about one-quarter of the total number captured by the A. E. F.

3. The officers and men of the Division have earned by their valor, their skill and their victories, the admiration and gratitude of our allies and our countrymen.

4. That the New Year be a happy one for all members of the Division,

their families and their friends is my most earnest wish.

JOHN A. LEJUNE,
Major General, U. S. M. C., Command-
ing.

(Copy).

[Three Hondo boys, Ross and Clyde Hollaway and John Mofield, were members of the Second Division. At the great battle of Chateau Thierry Corporal John W. Mofield paid the supreme sacrifice.]

In Loving Memory of Otto Graff.

Dear uncle, you have left us,
Lonely are our hearts today,
Death has of you bereft us,
Taken you so far away.

You have crossed the dark, cold river,
Angels hold you by the hand,
You are safe from storm forever,
Safe within that promised land.

How we miss your gentle footstep,
Miss each kind and loving word;
No more in this lonely household
Will your tender voice be heard.

Dear uncle, how we love you,
No pen can write, no tongue can tell!
But the gentle Sheppard called you,
We must bid a long farewell.

For, alas! the Savior called him,
Called him from this world of woe,
And his spirit has ascended
From this earthly home below.

So farewell, farewell, dear uncle!
You have only gone before;
For, if we are but as faithful,
We shall reach the golden shore.

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Arrangements have been made with
J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate
business at D'Hanis. See him at the
depot at that place and talk over your
real estate wants with him. Fletcher
Davis.

Notice.

HONDO, TEXAS, Feb. 3, 1919.
Farmers and Agricultural Club Mem-
bers of Medina County:

The time for planting is about with
us again; now let's plant plenty of
corn, cane, Sudan grass, feterita,
kaffir and milo, to make plenty of feed
for all of our stock and have some to
sell.

Be sure to plant a big garden and
raise everything you need for the fam-
ily to eat. Then get a Home Canner
and can up enough to do your family
at least through the winter; you can
sell all the surplus. I want every man
and all my boy club members to plant
at least part of his corn in six foot
rows, with peas between, to help build
up the soil, and raise feed for the fam-
ily, and to sell. Peas should be plant-
ed in the corn in April, 10th to 25th.
Plant the corn below the level of the
ground three or four inches, and cover
one and half inches, as this is as deep
as the sun will penetrate to germinate
the corn. Do not plant it on the hard
furrow, but be sure to leave at least
one inch or more of loose soil under
the grains. Plant a double stand to be
sure of a stand. In a six-foot row
drop the grains nine inches apart.

If you have wire worms or grub
worms, you had better treat your seed
corn. (Take a peck of corn at the
time and wet it with warm water;
drain off the water and while yet hot
and wet, take a tablespoon full of gas
tar, or coal tar, stir until every grain
is glazed; then if the birds, moles,
mice or rabbits dig it up, put Paris
Green or pulverized Lead Arsenic in the
mixture. Spread out and dry before
planting.)

Plant feterita, kaffir, milo and cane,
where you want seed, in March, so
that it will make before the sorghum
midge comes in numbers sufficient to
destroy the crop. Six or seven pounds
of seed is enough to plant an acre.
Sudan grass should be planted about
the 1st of April for hay; plant in rows
eighteen to twenty-one inches wide,
using six or seven pounds of seed to
the acre; if sown broadcast use ten to
twelve pounds of seed per acre; if
planted for seed plant in thirty-five
inch rows with two pounds per acre.
The planter that you have with the
cane plates will plant the grass seed.
Cover it about like planting cotton.
Harrow your soil good to pulverize all
the clods and close up the holes, also
to firm the seed bed.

I can't give everything in detail in
this letter, so if you wish to know
more of the whens, wheres and hows,
call or write me. Phone 171, Hondo,
Texas. Yours very truly,

C. M. MERRETT,
County Demonstration Agent.

P. S.—I am going to have a terracing
demonstration on the farm of Mr.
Frank Cockrell, Hondo, Texas, Febru-
ary 1st; on the farm of J. W. Wilson,
Moore, Texas, R. 1, February 11. I
will have with me on these dates Mr.
Olsen, the civil engineer from the A.
& M. College, to assist me in this work.
Everyone interested in terracing should
be at these demonstrations.

C. M. MERRITT.

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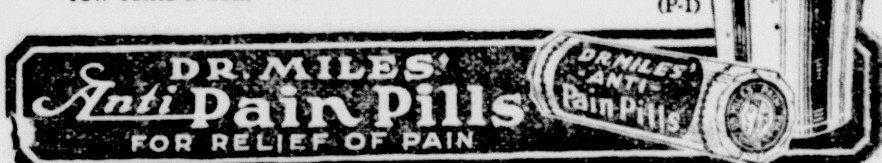


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In Memoriam

WHEREAS, it has pleased God, in whose hands is life and death, to remove from our midst, our worthy brother,

FREDERICK H. KILBORN,

on Dec. 11th, A. D., 1919, he it
RESOLVED, that in the death of our brother his family has lost a good husband and father, our Lodge a true and worthy member, and our community a useful citizen, be it

RESOLVED, that we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy, that the Hondo Lodge No. 236, Order of Hermann Soehne, mourn the loss of our brother, that our Charter be draped in mourning, that a copy of these Resolutions be forwarded to the family, and printed in the Hondo Herald, and spread upon our minutes.

Fraternally submitted,

Leo Batot,
Committee,
H. E. Haass,
Frank Schweers.

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Bids For Medina County Depository.

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MEDINA CO., TEXAS.

Said bid to be made under the terms of an Act of the 35th Legislature of Texas, at its regular session, amending Articles Nos. 2449-2441-2442-2443-2444-2445, of Chap. 2, Title 44 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1911 providing for County Depositories.

All proposals must comply with the terms of said act and all laws relative hereto, and a certified check in the sum of \$200.00 must accompany each bid.

All bids must be on file with the County Judge of said county by 10 o'clock a. m. of the 10th day of February, A. D. 1919, when same will be considered by the court and either accepted or rejected as provided by law.

Witness my official signature, at Hondo, Texas, this 21st day of January, 1919.

R. J. NOONAN,
County Judge, Medina County, Tex.

Weather Report

Hondo, Tex., for month of January, 1919:

Total rainfall, 2.96 inches.
Temperature: highest, 70 degrees F. on 27th; lowest, 20 degrees on 4th; killing frost on 10 days.
7 rainy days, 12 clear, 6 part cloudy, 11 cloudy.

H. E. HAASS,
Observer, U. S. W. B.

Passenger Train Schedules at Hondo, Texas.

EAST BOUND

No. 228 (Jitney) due 4:50 a.m.
No. 102 due 9:19 a.m.
(No stop between Hondo and San Antonio.)
No. 10 due 6:43 p.m.

WEST BOUND

No. 227 (Jitney) due 1:10 a.m.
No. 101 due 3:00p. m.
(Stops at Hondo, Sabinal, Uvalde, Spofford and Del Rio.)
No. 9 due 9:42 p.m.

Trains Nos. 7 and 8 are discontinued.

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LAND MEASURE

1 vara	33 1-3 inches
100 inches	3 varas
1900 8-10 varas	1 mile
3280 feet	1 mile
1760 yards	1 mile
268 71-100 feet square	1 acre
75 12-100 varas square	1 acre
69 57-100 yards square	1 acre
5643 4-10 square varas	1 acre
43,560 square feet	1 acre
4840 square yards	1 acre

To change varas to feet add 60 and divide by 36.

To change feet to varas multiply by 36 and cut off two right hand figures.

To find the number of acres in any number of square varas divide by 5643.4, or multiply by 177 and cut off 6 right hand figures.

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